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THE ENGLISH FLEET which has gone to Constantinople under command of Admiral Hornby consists of six vessels, which with their armaments are as follows

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The following powerful vessels from the Channel fleet have also been ordered to the front:

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POLITICAL AND PERSONAL

It is reported that the Boston *Globe* is soon to change hands and that it will appear as a two-cent morning and evening Democratic paper. The stock has all been taken by prominent Democrats of this and other cities of Massachusetts. Manton Marble, late editor of the New York *World*, is talked of as editor, with a salary of $15,000—*Boston Journal.*

Peace reigns in the South, as it does in a grave yard, and it is unfortunate for the chivalry that the peace there enjoyed was obtained through a similar means,—the death of all who were unpopular and the worse than death silence of those that remain. Nice country, that.—*Fall River, Mass., News.*

An old tar in our office, who gave up the ship and took up the composing stick nearly seventeen years ago, suggests that the English fleet, "didn't get out of Beshka Bay any too soon to prevent grounding on the reef bones the men have picked and thrown overboard since they've been there."

San Francisco men have for years been crying up and advertising their city, and the railroads have endeavored to induce men to forsake their Eastern homes for fabulous fortunes on the coast. Now the poor are starving in the streets, and poor Chinamen who have been patient and industrious are being stoned

Sunset Cox feels bigger than ever. A Congressman was remarking the other day that perhaps the inhabitants of other planets have telescopes large enough to distinguish any one walking on our world. Upon which Sammy patted his necktie and stood up straight.

"Our army is not in Constantinople," Gortschakoff. Only a hundred thousand Russian troops or so have taken a modest cottage in the outskirts."

A Kentucky Democratic paper nominates Thurman and Gordon for 1880, and says it has enlisted under that banner for the fight.

A couple from Webster, Mass., each of whom was 75 years old, went to Warren, R. I., last week and were married by a favorite clergyman a friend of their earlier days.

Kentucky beats them all. She now furnishes a case where a man eloped with a whole family except the old man, who had a lame back, and couldn't get to the depot in time.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Humbert I., King of Italy and son of Victor Emanuel, asked that his rank and station be recognized at the Pope's funeral, but the powers that be at the Vatican responded that the obsequies would be private and that those who wished to attend must come in their private capacity.

The eyes of two hundred millions of Catholics are watching for the smoke of the burning ballots—not with hungry and idle curiosity, but with prayerful expectation of a new Pontiff. There is no speculation in our minds; and we know how vain it is in others. Any Cardinal of the sixty-two may be chosen—the least thought of, often the first, as in the case of the great Pope now dead. We have no curiosity as to the result. We are assured that God will direct the choice for the Father of His Church.—*Pilot.*

The positions in the gift of the National House are getting to be very important. Fitzhugh was "a bigger man than old Grant," and it now looks as if Polk was a "bigger" man than Fitzhugh.

THE ELECTORAL COUNT.

Major Burke Year Ago and Now.

A FEW FACTS CONCERNING THE SHREWDEST POLITICIAN IN LOUISIANA—WHAT HE SAID THREE DAYS AFTER THE INAUGURATION OF PRESIDENT HAYES—ARE THE CHANGES CHARGED JUST?—A SIGNIFICANT QUESTION NOT YET ANSWERED.

[Special Correspondence N. Y. Times.]

The recent discussion between Mr. William E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, and Major E. A. Burke, of New Orleans, has resulted in nothing but a publication of the latter gentleman's opinion of the former. Mr. Burke has apparently to his own satisfaction written the biography of Mr. Chandler, but regarding the life and character of Mr. Burke the country has not been so well informed. And yet his connection with the Electoral count and several recent events in his career make him worthy of even more public consideration than is his opponent in the recent discussion. E. A. Burke was thrown to the surface of Louisiana politics by one of the many revolutions that have distracted that State since the war. He came to the front at once, like Stanley Matthews was hardly ever heard of until he was known and recognized as a leader. Unlike Stanley Matthews, however, he had gold sense enough not only to keep, but to greatly improve, his position. To-day he is, beyond all question, the clearest-headed, shrewdest, and most far-sighted politician in Louisiana, if not in the South. He is thoroughly convinced of the truth of the old saying that "All is possible to the man who waits," and he never tires waiting until his object has been accomplished. There is nothing impulsive or hot-headed about Major Burke. He is a Southern man only in his intense devotion to the party and the section to which he owes so much. He never loses his temper in a discussion, as do most of the rattle-headed fire-eaters by whom he is surrounded. He is always, with friend and foe alike, the calm, courteous gentleman, who knows just exactly what he wants to do, and usually accomplishes his object before even his intimate political associates are fully aware of his plan. Tilden was the man who was sent to Washington during the sitting of the Electoral Commission to represent the Democrats of Louisiana. How well he did his work is now a matter of history, but the means which he employed to obtain success have not yet been disclosed. It is upon this point that William E. Chandler asks pertinent questions. It is upon this point that E. A. Burke is silent. The claim of the gentleman from New Hampshire, who is acknowledged even by his political opponents to be one of the shrewdest and best informed of men, is that Major Burke received from some, perhaps persons, representing or claiming to represent the Republican President of the United States, written pledges that if the count under the decision of the Electoral Commission was not interrupted by the Southern members, the legally-elected Republican Governor of Louisiana would be deserted by the National Administration and the control of the State placed absolutely in the hands of the Democracy.

There are very many circumstances which go to support Mr. Chandler's view of the matter. In the first place, it will be remembered by all those who associated intimately with Major Burke in those exciting days that he was, during the first week of his work, extremely anxious and troubled. During the sitting of the Electoral Commission he worked night and day getting up points and preparing arguments for the Democratic counsel. He was David Dudley Field's right-hand, ex-Justice Campbell could never have made his speech without him, and Jerry Black was indebted to him for many of the most important parts of his address. Suddenly, however, Major Burke ceased all his efforts, took apparently but little interest in the Electoral count, and assumed all at once his old calm, quiet, and self-possessed manner. It was at this time that the talk of breaking up the round was at its height, and he, being well known as the influential associate of all the prominent Southern leaders, was frequently appealed to by newspaper correspondents and others regarding the matter. To every such inquirer he gave the positive assurance that he was convinced that the Southern men would not oppose the counting of the votes for Mr. Hayes. To the writer, who has had many opportunities of becoming intimate with him, he, on one occasion, went even further than this, saying, in answer to a direct question, not only that there would be no interference with the count, but that the interests of Louisiana would not suffer by the inauguration of President Hayes. If he was not then in the possession of any pledge or pledges how could he be so confident upon the subject? That he was confident there is abundant proof, notably that which follows. When he returned to New Orleans, after the completion of his work in Washington, he was, of course, besieged by all his friends who were anxious to know how he had accomplished his result. To them all he replied that Louisiana was safe for the Democracy; that Hayes would do more for the State than Tilden would have done, and that Nicholls would certainly be inaugurated. Nor were these statements made exclusively in private. In the New Orleans *Times* of March 7, 1877, he printed, or authorized to be printed, an interview with him in which he made the same assertions. The following is a verbatim quotation from the interview, it needs no comment:

"Mr. Burke said he was perfectly satisfied with the turn in the tide of affairs, and also satisfied that within the next two or three weeks, at least, the State of Louisiana would be perfectly quiet and peaceable; that there would be but one State Government, and that would be the Nicholls Government. As stated in Saturday night's telegram, Major Burke, on that evening, after President Hayes had been sworn in, held an interview with the President at the residence of John Sherman, during which he pledged himself to stand firmly to the policy then to be and since laid down in his inaugural address, and he further stated that he desired, above all things, peace in the Southern States, and would do his utmost for the good of those States. As to the recognition of the Packard Government, Major Burke is fully satisfied that such a recognition will never come, as the President as well as a large majority of the leading Republicans, Senators and Representatives, are committed to and are in favor of the Presidents expressed policy, and will sustain him in it to the last. *The commitment to that policy was made by those leading Republicans before the Presidential question was settled by the House of Representatives, and it was only upon that basis that the opposition to the declaration of the election of Hayes and Wheeler, in the shape of filibustering, was withdrawn.*

"The Democratic managers of the Louisiana case were not, it seems, led into any trap, as some suppose, by an acquiescence to the wishes of the Republican leaders, *nor did they withdraw their opposition until written pledges had been given by those then in a position to, and authorized to speak, and since that time those pledges have been confirmed in a most substantial manner by the same parties, and not those alone, but others.* Whatever may be said as to Mr. Stanley Matthews, Charles Foster, and Hon. John Sherman, and others having authority to speak for President Hayes, Major Burke is satisfied from personal experience and observation that they did have that authority, and it is quite probable that his assertion will be verified soon. From all that can be learned from Major Burke the opposition now made to the recognition of both Governors Nicholls and Hampton, is confined to Don Cameron, Blaine and two or three other Republicans of less note.

"That President Hayes does not contemplate immediate action in the Louisiana case Major Burke does not deny, but, as stated above, he has the solemn and documentary pledges of the best and the highest authority to substantiate his ideas."

If Mr. Burke had not written pledges of a strong and definite character to support these assertions, it is hardly conceivable that a man of his shrewdness, and political sagacity would have made them thus publicly and specifically. He has never yet, over his own signature, explained why he was so confident, when every one else doubted, that the President would recognize the Nicholls Government. If he attempts to do so he might at the same time make public what he knows of the instructions received from Washington by Wayde MacVeagh and Company during their visit to New Orleans. Incidentally, it may not be amiss to mention the fact that the visit in question resulted as Major Burke from the first predicted it would—in the overthrow of the legally elected Government of Louisiana. H. C.

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The Washington special of the Boston *Journal* says of the maiden speech of the Representative of our Congressional district, (Mr. Powers) delivered on Thursday: "Mr. Powers of Maine made his maiden legislative speech upon the bill to grant pensions to survivors of the Mexican war, and it was conceded on all hands that it is one of the best speeches made this session. At the close he was congratulated by Republicans and Democrats alike."

It will be observed that during the sitting in the House Thursday, there were more explanations of the "understanding" which led to the adoption of the policy and more indignant denials of a "bargain." Now, where is the shadowy line of demarcation between a "bargain" and "understanding" that results in the transfer of valuable considerations?—*Boston Traveller.*

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is, from its small, compact form and handsome exterior, especially adapted to the parlors of many houses where a square Piano could not conveniently be placed. The volume of tone is fully equal to a large square Grand Piano, while the quality is of the most exquisite musical character. To our ability to offer Upright Pianos of their capacity, standing in tune, is unparalleled, in the history of Piano making. I have both UPRIGHT and SQUARE PIANOS of all grades and prices, including the incomparable

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PIANO COVERS, elegant designs, Piano stools, Violins, Accordeons, Strings, Music Books, New Music every day, everything in the musical line. Entire stock new and attractive.

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Main St., under Globe Hotel.

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BANGOR SAVINGS BANK.

Orders taken on the Bangor Savings Bank payable in Clothing, in sums of FIVE dollars and upward

JAMES TOBIN,

PEOPLE'S CLOTHING HOUSE,

45 West Market Square, Bangor.

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DR. LEMONT

has removed to

No. 7 Adams St., near York St.

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GREAT SLAUGHTER

IN PIANOS AND ORGANS, at wholesale prices to reduce our stock to make room for the

Little Model Upright Piano.

SPECIAL CASH OFFERS

1 New 7 Octave Piano, elegant Rosewood case, carved legs, price $750, only $225

1 New 6 Octave Organ, price $125, for only $55.

1 Second-hand 7 Octave Piano, four round corners, Rosewood case, only $100

1 6-Octave Organ, only $45

These goods are fully warranted and kept in tune for one year. If the above prices are not low enough, call and take your own price as they must be sold.

PATTEN & WHEELDEN.

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BIRD.

In this city, Feb. 14th, James Gow, aged 37 years, 8 months, 17 days.

Prayer by Rev. G. W. Field at the residence of his father-in-law, 44 Wilson's Lane, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Late address, after which the remains will be taken to Troy for interment.

In this city, Feb. 16th, of scarlet fever, Walter D. Parshley, aged 12 years, 1 month, 19 days, son of F. Parshley.

Funeral at residence, Hammond St., Monday at 10 o'clock.

ONE POUND

OF EXTRA CHOICE

French Chocolate Creams

For 25 Cents, at

TEA WHITE'S.

8 QUARTS

—OF—

New Sicily Canary Seed

For $1.00, at

TEA WHITE'S.

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House Wanted.

A good clean house on West side, large enough for a family of six or seven, with Hot-water. Apply to Steve Allen, corner Main and Hammond Sts.

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CARPETINGS!

AT REDUCED PRICES.

We offer for THIRTY DAYS

The Best Tapestry Brussells Carpets at $1.00 per yard.

Common Qualities at 87 1-2 cts.

Also Extra Superfines at the same prices.

As this is a lower price than has been offered in any other market and is made solely to reduce stock, housekeepers will do well to give us an early call.

A. H. ROBERTS & SON,

No. 7 Main Street.

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WE GUARANTEE TO SELL

3 POUNDS OF AS GOOD

Oolong, Souchong, Japan or Mixed Tea

FOR $1.00

as you can buy at any store in Maine for $1.50 OUNCE in pound. Send and get 3 pounds to try, and if not perfectly satisfactory, return it, and we will pay the expense both ways and refund the money.

TEA WHITE'S COFFEE STORE,

feb15 Kenduskeag Bridge, Bangor.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore subsisting between L. W. KITTREDGE and H. E. SEAVEY, under the firm of L. W. KITTREDGE & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either party is authorized to settle all debts due to and by the company. The business will be continued at the old stand, No. 75 Main Street. MISS SEAVEY may be found at store of C. D. DAVIS, two doors below, Main Street.

L. W. KITTREDGE.

H. E. SEAVEY.

Bangor, February 9, 1878. 1w

WHITE

Kid Gloves for Gentlemen

Kid Boots for Ladies.

Kid Slippers for Ladies.

NEW LOT.

BUZZELL & SHAW.

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FURNITURE

—AT—

REDUCED PRICES,

At No. 14 and 16 Central Street.

FOR THIRTY DAYS.

All in want of FURNITURE AND UPHOLSTERED GOODS will find it for their interest to call on me, as I have better bargains to offer than they have ever found in Bangor. I continue to receive checks on the BANGOR SAVINGS BANK for goods.

C. C. PRESCOTT.

Bangor, Feb. 14, 1878. 2w

ROLFE & FOSTER,

Lumber Commission Merchants,

No. 7 Doane St., Boston, Mass.

Refer by permission to Skillings & Whitney Bros. Foster, Swasey & Co., Lewis & Hall, Boston; Francis Butrick, Waltham.

Consignments solicited. 2m feb9

The Genuine Peavey Cant-Dog

The subscribers have now on hand the largest and best stock of

CANT DOGS

over made in this State, and which we will warrant to be superior to any CANT DOGS over yet made, and are selling them at bottom prices.

Also, all kinds of

Driving Tools

at lowest prices.

BANGOR EDGE TOOL COMPANY,

Washington Street.

(Com. copy.)

FEBRUARY DIVIDENDS

Have been declared and paid by the

CALIFORNIA MINING CO.

CONSOLIDATED VIRGINIA MINING CO.

GRAND PRIZE MINING CO.

EUREKA CONSOLIDATED MINING CO.

cashed at our office.

RICHARDSON, HILL & CO.,

feb13 Boston.

A GRAND BENEFIT

TO THE PATRONS

OF THE

China Tea Company

—AND THE—

PEOPLE AT LARGE.

Having just arrived from Boston with a fresh lot of goods, I am prepared to sell at an extraordinary low price the following goods:

New Loose Muscatel Raisins, 10c per pound.

Valencia Raisins, 6c per pound. 20 pounds for $1.00.

New Citron, 20c per pound, 6 pounds for $1.00.

New Turkish Prunes, 10c per pound, 10 pounds for $1.00.

13 pounds of Best Carolina Rice, $1.00.

13 Bars of Peerless Soap, $1.00.

16 Bars of Gold Dust Soap, $1.00.

6 Boxes Gelatine, $1.00.

8 Quarts Canary Seed, $1.00.

4 pounds of Best English Soda, 25

And also we have constantly on hand a choice line of

FANCY GROCERIES

which we are selling at correspondingly low prices.

Our Japan or Oolong Tea at 50c per pound is the very best that we have ever offered at that price.

Remember we are still at

35 Main Steet.

CHINA TEA COMP'Y,

GEO. E. ADAMS, Proprietor.

Bangor, Jan 19.

30 DAYS.

Prices Down.

30 DAYS.

30 DAYS. 30 DAYS.

A lot of Munson's Oil Goat and French Kid Button marked down.

A lot of Munson's Misses' Oil Goat Button marked down.

A lot of Misses' 18 Thread Serge Button, only $1.25.

Gents' Fine Shoes at one-half the cost.

Ladies' Serge Congress and Lace Boots, $1.00.

These are only a few of the Bargains now offered for THIRTY DAYS.

Don't buy anywhere until you have examined our stock and prices.

Have just received a lot of SPRING STYLE

SOFT & STIFF HATS,

at prices that will be satisfactory

F. A. CURTIS,

Kenduskeag Bridge.

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LOST.

Friday, Feb. 8th, between East End Blacksmith Shop and Bank's saw mill, a Gold Medal, Portsmouth, contained money. Whoever finds the same and will leave it at this office shall be liberally rewarded.

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LOST.

A set of Watch Chain with the figure of a horse's head on it. The finder will confer a favor by leaving same at this office.

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LOST.

In Music Hall, a Russia Leather Fan. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving same at this office.

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AUCTION! AUCTION!

We have received orders to close out the whole stock of BLACK SILKS, which have been on exhibition at our Store for the last ten days, at Auction, and in consequence of the dull times have concluded to offer our whole stock of

DRY GOODS AT AUCTION,

preferring to sell our goods for what they will bring, get the money and pay our debts, rather than keep them over until another Season. Our Stock is one of the largest and best assorted in this City, and the goods will be sold.

Any person wishing to purchase a BLACK SILK will do well to visit this Sale. Every piece of Silk we shall offer is warranted first class and from the best manufacturers, as you can see by the name on each piece.

Those wishing to buy COTTONS, LINENS, PRINTS, FLANNELS, or any other Domestic Goods, will find this a better opportunity to get them cheap than they will have again this season.

If money is scarce, the more reason why you should make the best of it. Ample room and reserved seats for ladies.

Sale commences SATURDAY, Feb. 16th, at 10 A. M. and 2 1-2 P. M., and continuing every day until further notice.

As the auction will be conducted in our large sales room up one flight of stairs, customers, who desire, an opportunity to examine and select any goods they wish to purchase. We will sell any article in our stock

E. C. Nichols & Co.,

NO. 9, MAIN STREET,

Feb 11. BANGOR, MAINE.

ATTENTION! ATTENTION!

Goods at Auction Prices!

BUT NO AUCTION,

AS WE HAVN'T ANY OLD GOODS TO SELL.

Our goods are all new and fresh, and are all paid for, or in other words we CASH and can give prices that will interest the public

A FINE LINE OF BLACK SILKS AND CASHMERES.

5000 yards of good yard wide Sheeting for 5½ cents per yard.
5000 yards Prints for 5 cents per yard.
500 yards Hamburgs, 2 cents to 50 cents per yard.
50 dozen Towels, 5 cents apiece.
[illegible] dozen Damask Towels, extra size, 12½ cents apiece.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SATURDAY MORNING, Feb. 16th, we shall open 150 dozen extra quality All Linen Handkerchiefs, Gents' and Ladies', slightly damaged by water, only 10 cents apiece.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

E. H. HALL & CO.,

No. 23 Main Street.

Bangor, Feb. 15, 1878

HAIR WORK.

We make first class SWITCHES from Cut Hair or "Combings," and by using our New Method we can turn the hair all one way—the way it grows on the head—and thus make a switch that will not "Comb Tangle" in small expense. Old Switches, Curls, P. Ms, &c., made and repaired best possible manner and at low prices. HAIR SWITCHES selling cheaper than ever

19 Main Street. C. W. COFFIN.

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GETCHELL, LEIGHTON & CO.,

PLUMBERS,

29 CENTRAL STREET.

July 12

GLOBE HOTEL.

This Hotel was built last season, on the site of the Harriman House, furnished throughout with modern improvements, namely Rooms on first floor, Bath Room, Water Closets, Gas, Plunger's Annunciator, etc. Good Livery and Transfer Stables. Free Coaches to and from the Hotel.

TERMS, $2.00 PER DAY.

J. E. HARRIMAN, Proprietor.

Bangor, July 31, 1877.

DeWITT HOUSE, Lewiston, Me.

The Proprietors, formerly of the Franklin House, Bangor, having leased this commodious hotel for a term of years, are now prepared to entertain their old friends and the travelling public. The Hotel is pleasantly situated on the Corner of Pine and Park streets, nearly opposite the Post Office, overlooking the Park and forming one of the most desirable locations in the city. It is also convenient to the principal places of business. It has all the modern conveniences, such as Bath Rooms, Sample Rooms, Billiard Hall. Also a first class Livery Stable. Carriages are always waiting to take guests to and from the trains.

ROYAL QUIMBY, EBEN MURCH, } Proprietors.

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JUST RECEIVED

A choice lot of

SWEET FLORIDA AND VALENCIA

ORANGES,

Which we are selling at VERY LOW PRICES.

CHAS. DWINEL,

feb9 No. 3 Kenduskeag Bridge.

$500 REWARD.

A reward of Five Hundred Dollars will be paid by the EASTERN EXPRESS COMPANY, for the recovery of a package of $6,000 dollars, in the bills of the 1st National Bank of Dexter, and FIFTY SIX DOLLARS of other National Banks, stolen from the Safe of said Company at Dexter, Maine

F. W. CAIRN, Supt.

H. S. OSGOOD, Genl Agent.

Portland, Feb. 5, 1878. 2w

Keep Out the Cold

BY USING THE

ALL RUBBER PATENT

WEATHER STRIP.

FOR SALE BY

RICE & SKINNER,

(Successors to E. H. Fogg.)

47 West Market Square.

Jan10

For Rent.

Store No. 18, Central Street, lately occupied by C. O. Sawtelle. Apply to

HOPKINS & SON,

Jan15 T&F 80 Exchange Street.

Copartnership.

The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership, the firm name to be known as

THURSTON & PATTERSON,

have purchased the stock owned by the late firm, B. H. BOARDMAN & CO., and taken the store No. 9 Broad Street, and No. 87 Hickory Square, lately occupied by them, and will continue the same trade, and trust by strict attention to business and fair dealing, to secure a liberal patronage from the customers of the late firm, and the public.

WILLIS E. THURSTON,

JAMES PATTERSON.

Bangor, Feb. 8th, 1878.

NOTICE.

All debts of the late firm, B. H. Boardman & Co., will be settled by their successors.

F. E. BOARDMAN, Administratrix.

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E. S. CORHAM

Will still be found at the old place on

On French St. near State,

prepared to do House Painting, Paper Hanging, Glazing, Kalsomining and Tinting. Have always on hand and furnished at lowest [illegible]

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GRAHAM.

We have just received a fresh lot of the celebrated Graham in barrels and half barrels.

FRED T. HALL & CO.,

28 Central Street.

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DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP

The firm of Palmer & Johnson, Palmer, Johnson & Co., and H. H. Poward & Co., are dissolved by mutual consent. Josh. W. Palmer is authorized to use the firm name in liquidation.

JOSH. W. PALMER,
BENJ. JOHNSON,
W. F. PALMER,
H. H. POWARD.

Bangor, Feb. 6th, 1878

DISTURBANCE.

Owing to the disturbed state of the City Government, I have left Central Street and now am in

Store No. 10 West Market Square,

where I shall still continue to manufacture, repair, TRUNKS and TRAVELING BAGS as heretofore. We also keep the best assortment of

HARNESSES

in the city, which we are selling at less price than any one on the continent.

N. B. I forgot to say that we do not charge so much for repairing trunks as they cost who buy them.

C. O. SAWTELLE,

feb7 No. 10 West Market Square.

(Com. copy.)

Penobscot Log Driving Company.

The annual meeting of the Penobscot Log Driving Company, for

Whig and Courier.

SATURDAY, FEB 16, 1878.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

Friday's Legislative Proceedings.

Senate

[illegible] WHITE and COLBURN [illegible] The Senate was called [illegible] and Rev C F Penney of Augusta invoked the Divine blessing [illegible] papers were read and assented [illegible]

The resolve of Peter Simino, agent of the Penobscots Indians, was under suspension [illegible] rules passed to be engrossed [illegible] resolve in favor of the Cary hospital was [illegible] and finally postponed [illegible] came from the House, that [illegible] adhering to its former vote in [illegible] the same to be engrossed, and the [illegible] concurred and engrossed the resolve [illegible]

[illegible] resolve granting aid to build a bridge [illegible] was indefinitely postponed [illegible] communication presented the resolve of Congress thanking Captain [illegible] for the statue of Wm [illegible] resolve was accepted and sent down for concurrence [illegible]

[illegible] region called up the bill to [illegible] have over the title water of Georgetown River. The question [illegible] from the House indefinitely postponed [illegible] question was upon concurrence [illegible]

Senator Martin moved an amendment relating to the [illegible] of Phoenix to bear all expenses incurred in locating, constructing and [illegible] the proposal was Adopted — The bill was tabled for the special assignment [illegible]

The Senate next considered the special order which was the bill appropriating $5,000 for the Hallowell School for [illegible]

Senator Lowe moved to take the bill [illegible] from the School fund of the State. But the bill was then passed [illegible]

[illegible] gave over the Georges River at Thomaston, was again taken up. It was referred to [illegible] House [illegible] finally passed the bill as amended by the House.

[illegible] Bridgton to Fryeburg [illegible] table [illegible] of compiling and printing the school laws of the State and it was [illegible] Four hundred dollars was appropriated for that purpose.

Senator [illegible] moved to take up the [illegible] and pressed the resolve [illegible] upon this amendment offered by Senator Martin yesterday [illegible] one year from its [illegible]

Senator Woodward favored the amendment [illegible] opposed the bill as it passed the House. [illegible] Mr Shaughnessy felt [illegible] of the Senate very large and he could not vote [illegible]

Senator Bickford opposed the bill. This [illegible] of great value to Maine and we [illegible] afford to deal this death blow to it. Senator Stearns said he represented a district on the coast and he knows the effect [illegible] the small fishing interests of his section. The poor [illegible] who carry on fishing, this bill was [illegible] a little protection [illegible] for the bill.

Mr Grant favored the amendments — Mr Cobb opposed the bill. Mr Morrison [illegible] the bill. He thought it was not [illegible] that the seiners be [illegible] and unless we give them a little some [illegible] the bill was further pressed by Messrs Stevens [illegible] Rogers and Davis of Penobscot [illegible] 4 to 11.

Senator Dunton of Cumberland submitted an amendment [illegible] the penalty to [illegible] days [illegible] the entrance [illegible] not more than one mile wide [illegible] less than $100 or more than $300 — [illegible] was [illegible] and the bill [illegible] grassy.

Senator Butler called up the bill addl [illegible] Boston & Maine Railroad. The Senate concurred with the House [illegible] the next Legislature [illegible] bill passed from the table the report of the committee on State Fields and Forests [illegible] was passed to be engrossed.

Senator Bragdon moved to take the bill

Auction Sales.

EDWARD LEAVITT,
COMMISSION MERCHANT & AUCTIONEER
No 12 Central St.
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PEARL & WEBB,
Real Estate Brokers, Auctioneers
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J. B. FOSTER,
AUCTIONEER,
—AND—
Commission Merchant,
No 8, Foster & Hragg's Block,
HOUSE SQUARE
June 12

THE POPE OF ROME

A Lecture at FREE STEVENS will Hear a Lecture by Express Sheriff Dorrance Kee's No 30 Hancock St. Public Cordially Invited. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture to commence at 7½ o'clock. Admission 10 cents. (Starting exactly at 7½ o'clock.)
feb 1

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
—OF—
PERSONAL PROPERTY

At No 1 Exchange Street, Bangor.
On WEDNESDAY Feb 13 1878 at 10 o'clock A.M.

I shall sell at Public Auction the Stock of Hardware of the Late firm of the Bangor Insurance Co. (Jan 10) Marks of the Capital Stock of the Bangor and Piscataquis Railroad Co.

One Gold Watch, and a Number of Silver Watches.

Description of property can be seen at the store of Mr. Jno. Brooks.

Terms Cash.

W. H. HILLARD, Assignee.
Bangor, Jan 1, 1878. jan 1

THE "MIDWINTER" SCRIBNER.

PROFESSOR HOLLAND TOLD US THAT SCRIBNER'S MIDWINTER NUMBER WOULD BE A RESTFUL RELIEF FROM THE DARK CLOUDS OF ANTICIPATION WHICH HAD LOWERED OVER THE MIDWINTER NUMBERS OF THE OTHER MAGAZINES. IT IS A BRIGHT, CHEERY NUMBER, WITH A BLAZING LOG AND A BLUSHING APPLE ON THE COVER, AND THE PROMISE OF A GOOD TIME IN THE PAGES WITHIN. THE FRONTISPIECE IS A PORTRAIT OF THE LATE MR. LINCOLN, FROM A PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN FROM LIFE, AND THE ARTICLE ON THE PORTRAIT, BY MR. NICOLAY, THE PRIVATE SECRETARY OF MR. LINCOLN, IS THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF PAPERS ON THE PERSONAL RECOLLECTIONS OF LINCOLN. IT IS A NOTABLE ARTICLE, BRIGHT AND INTERESTING, AND WE SHALL LOOK FOR THE PAPERS FOLLOWING WITH MUCH INTEREST. THE PAPER ON THE ROYAL PALACES OF SPAIN, BY MR. HOWELLS, IS ALSO A VERY ATTRACTIVE ARTICLE, AND THE ILLUSTRATIONS ARE EXCELLENT